

10/581677
AP3 Rec'd PCT/PTO 05 JUN 2006

Serial No.: unassigned
Attorney Docket No.: 23W02.1-010

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: EARNSHAW, Dennis Charles)
)
U.S. National Phase of PCT/AU2004/001643)
) Group Art Unit: unassigned
Filed: December 3, 2004)
) Examiner: unassigned
For: SWITCHED DC ELECTRICAL MACHINE)
)

Mail Stop: Amendments
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 5, 2006

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

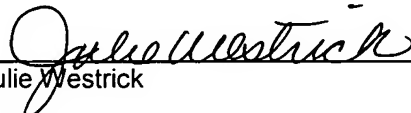
Sir:

Prior to examining the above-noted patent application, please amend the application as follows. After this amendment, there are 23 pending claims, 3 of which are independent. In the event that any extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefor. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1513.

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendments Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 as "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee"

Mailing Label No. EV862252774US


Julie Westrick

Date: June 5, 2006